

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Sam Lewis was in Glasgow last week.

Miss Fannie Garnett is visiting in Lexington.

Mr. A. B. Gowdy has returned to Campbellsville.

Mr. John Q. Alexander, of Campbellsville, was here last Friday.

Mr. Jo Russell was at the Russell Springs two days of last week.

Mr. G. A. Kimble, Kimble, was in Columbia Friday.

Mr. J. C. Hardin, of Harrodsburg, is visiting relatives in Columbia.

Peter Strange and Jo Coffey, Jr., were in Campbellsville Monday night.

Mr. J. L. McLean, who is employed at Glasgow, is spending a few days at home.

Miss Maggie Hutchinson, of Kansas, is visiting the family of Mrs. Kate Smith.

Mr. F. M. Frazer and her two sons, Olie and Will Ed, of Middlesboro, are visiting in Columbia.

Mrs. Ellen Bergin, after spending a month with relatives here, left for her home in St. Louis Monday morning.

Mrs. H. Blair, of Kansas, is visiting her father in Russell county, after an absence of twenty years.

Mrs. Jennie Hardin, of Harrodsburg, is visiting the family of Mr. R. L. Hatcher.

Mrs. J. W. Jones was in Columbia one day last week enroute to her home in Effingham, Kansas.

Mr. S. A. Simpson, Secretary of the Russell Springs Fair, had business in Columbia last Friday.

Mr. Z. H. Grissom, who is traveling for a Knoxville clothing house, was here the first of the week.

Miss Lillie Goodman and her brother, of Glasgow, who visited the family of Mr. Sam Lewis, have returned home.

Capt. W. W. Braishaw, James Garrett, Jr., and Mr. C. S. Harris attended the Democratic State Convention.

Mr. A. A. Strange and wife, who have been visiting in Western Kentucky, returned home last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Sarah E. Barger, of Russell county, is visiting her brother and family in this city, the Rev. Jesse L. Murrell.

Mrs. J. E. McFarland, who visited relatives in Columbia for several weeks, left for her home in Columbus, Ohio, last Friday morning.

Mr. Martin Damron and wife, of Missouri, are visiting relatives in Adair county. Before returning home they will spend several weeks at the Russell Springs.

Mr. C. B. Hall, of Louisville, is visiting his brother and sisters in this town and is so well pleased with this section that he has decided to make his home here.

Mr. R. G. Willis, son of Mr. Pack Willis, returned home last Friday. He left this county five years ago and served in the army three years of that time, doing service in the Philippine.

Miss Kate Vardeman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Garrett, Jr., left for her home in Vandalia, Mo., last week. She became quite popular during her stay in this city.

Mr. John N. Conover, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dohoney, Mrs. Ella Bergin and Misses May Spears, Eliza Conover, Bess Dohoney, and Marietta Rowe spent last Sunday at the Russell Springs.

Mr. J. B. Richards, who lives in Wisconsin, brother of Mr. J. W. Richards, of this place, met with a very serious and which may prove to be a fatal accident a few days ago. The pulley of a hayfork fell upon him.

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

The Russell Springs Fair is booming.

Francis M. Jones, Sparksville, has been granted a pension of \$17.00 per month.

Don't fail to attend the School meeting in the Court-house at 7:30 p. m. this evening.

Messrs. J. H. Young and J. E. Burton sold 125 ewes last week at \$3.20 per head. They have 25 wethers for sale.

The management of the Russell Springs Fair is assured of a very large crowd. Adair county will send a large delegation.

A large flourishing school in Columbia would prove a great stimulus to business. Hundreds of dollars would be left here annually.

The Russell Springs medical society will meet on the first Thursday and Friday in August, 1900.

WM. BLAIR, Pres.

Russell Spring Fair privileges will be sold to the highest and best bidder at Kimble, Saturday, July 28th.

S. A. SIMPSON, Secty.

Thoroughbred Berkshire pigs for sale. The finest in Southern Kentucky. Registered. Call on Geo. Atkins or T. R. Stults, Columbia, Ky.

The King Mantel Company, 224 West Jefferson St., Louisville, sell the best and cheapest mantels in the city. They represent three of the best factories, and manufacturer much of their stock. 6-2-3m.

Notice.

We have a lot of good iron hoop barrels for sale. Willis Bros.

Persons who want a few days of recreation should begin on the 14th day of August, and select the Russell Springs Fair as the place.

When you visit Louisville, stop at the New Phoenix Hotel. First-class fare and well located, corner of 7th and Market Streets.

Now is the time for the people of this town to unite in securing a graded school. Outside help is coming. Come to the Court-house at 7:30 p. m. to-day and here Dr. McDonald.

While Rev. T. F. Walton and wife were visiting in Knox county the cynlins in their garden became too industrious and grew out of proportion, many of them weighing three pounds.

I desire to return my heartfelt thanks to the many friends for their manifested kindness during the illness and death of my beloved wife.

C. C. YATES.

Gradyville Ky.

Mrs. Susan Lee, mother of Mr. Geo. Lee, Campbellsville, died at her home in Danville, Wednesday, the 18th inst. She was quite an old lady, and one of the most respected in Boyle county.

I will, on 27th day of July, 1900, at the store house now occupied by me in Columbia Ky., receive and hear proof of claims against the estate of C. R. Warinner.

ALLEN PILE, Assignee of C. R. Warinner.

Attention.

I have decided to close my shop on Sundays. No more work will be done for any one on the Sabbath. Please govern yourselves accordingly.

W. T. PRICE.

Mr. Samuel Kelsey and Miss Martha Hart, living near Wesley, Russell county, were united in marriage on the 12th inst. Rev. R. C. Simmons, in a very solemn service, joined the happy couple, receiving their most sacred vows.

Special Notice.

My accounts are all due July 1st. Please call and pay your account or note without further notice. I need the money.

D. H. BUTLER.

On Wednesday, August 1st, S. C. Neat, who lives near Neatsburg, will sell, at public outcry, several valuable horses, hogs, cattle and farming implements. At the same time he will offer his farm for sale. On it is a new residence and all necessary out buildings.

From the present outlook the farmers throughout this section will have to enlarge their corncribs. The indications are that the ears will be two foot long upon an average, and in circumference, in proportion to the length.

Mr. Hatten P. Redman is the first man to pay tax in this county for 1900. There is nothing like being punctual. The sooner a man pays the better he feels; but Mr. Redman has never been accused of being a slow man in paying his dues.

The residence of Mr. Silas Cain, whose farm is on the Burksville road, five miles from Columbia, was consumed by fire one night last week. We do not know the origin of the fire. The insurance amounting to four hundred dollars was on the property. Mr. Cain will rebuild.

Mr. Lewis Triplett and family return their heartfelt thanks to the many who so kindly rendered assistance during late sickness and deaths. The wife of Eugene Triplett joins, expressing her gratitude to all those who closely watched her husband in his dying hours.

Miss Laura Cook, who lived near town, and who has been in a very critical condition for several days, died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock. She was a member of the Methodist church and an active worker in religious work. She was buried near her late home.

Tom Johnston, a young man eighteen years old, of Lebanon, a nephew of Mr. W. S. Barker, this city, was accidentally drowned in Rolling Fork last week. He could not swim and was out with a party of bathers. Getting into deep water, he was drowned before his companions missed him. Mr. Barker attended the funeral.

John Gowen, charged with assaulting his own daughter, was before Judge Butler last week. During the progress of the trial it developed that the accused was mentally wrong. The charge was, therefore, changed to lunacy and he was adjudged insane. He was carried to Anchorage by Sheriff J. W. Hunt.

Mr. Sam Damron, of Casey county, was in town this Tuesday morning, and is outspoken in his support of the entire Democratic ticket, both State and National. Mr. Damron is one of the many good Democrats who voted and worked for John Young Brown last year but he now says that there is no just reason why he and all others should not support Mr. Beckham. He was honest in his course last year and his support of the nominee this year does not reflect on his honesty of purpose, but it does speak in unmistakable terms that he is just what he claims to be—a democrat. Thousands of other good Democrats will do as Mr. Damron is doing. It's the proper course to pursue and no Democrat will dispute it.

Mr. H. C. Baker is in receipt of a letter from Dr. McDonald, which states that the Home Educational Board in New York has decided to make an annual appropriation to the school here equaling the receipts of a \$10,000 endowment, provided the people of this town and county will get up a certain sum, the amount of which we are not advised, but are informed that their demands are exceedingly reasonable. Dr. McDonald will arrive this Tuesday evening, and a popular meeting will be held in the Court-house tomorrow at 7:30 p. m., at which time Dr. McDonald will make known the amount expected from this section and give all information necessary for a full and complete understanding of what they will do to establish and maintain this school. This meeting should be attended by every business man in this town, by every friend of education. Everything is working to our interest and unless this community refuses to help itself there is not a doubt but we will soon have one of the best schools in Southern Kentucky. Do not fail to come to this meeting for this help must be secured. We can not afford to let it fall. From a business standpoint no man in this town can afford to be indifferent to the building of such a school; from an educational standpoint we all know it would be a great boon to this community, but we must do something and it must be done at once if we expect our children to be the beneficiaries of better educational facilities. Now is the time to act while outside help is offered. If the people of this town slight this opportunity it will be the greatest mistake the town has ever made, and besides it will again invite the people who want a good school to push their claims for a graded high school, which has heretofore failed twice, but the third time may prove effective. Let us all attend the meeting and work for the school.

Last Friday night about eleven o'clock Dr. W. E. Grissom and wife, this city, were startled by some one being in their bedroom, which is on the second floor. They were both asleep, Mrs. Grissom being awakened by a noise. She listened and presently she felt a hand about her throat. She screamed, alarming the Doctor, who sprang from his bed, followed by his wife, who informed him what had occurred. The Doctor grabbed his gun, ran to the window and fired twice. The night was very warm and the door to the room being ajar, it was very easy for thief or scoundrel to enter by climbing the veranda. The Doctor is very much wrought up over the matter, and offers one-hundred dollars reward for the detection of the intruder.

The Columbia Spectator, the Republican organ of this county, changed hands last Thursday. Mr. A. A. Strange, who has been its editor and proprietor for several years, some time ago accepted a position in the Government Printing office, Washington, D. C., and expecting to be recalled to his post of duty, sold the outfit, good will, etc., to Mr. W. D. Jones, Adair's county School Superintendent. Mr. Jones will edit the paper which will continue to advocate the Republican principles, and Mr. Carl Strange will look after the mechanical part of the business.

Last Sunday forenoon during a heavy rain and thunder storm, a horse in Hon. Geo. Nell's barn, belonging to his daughter, Mrs. Jo Rosciff, was struck by lightning and killed. The barn was damaged but little. The dwelling house occupied by J. H. Wade, of color, in the suburbs of town, was also struck, destroying the flue, and shocking several persons who were in the house. One woman was knocked senseless, but was restored to consciousness by a physician, who was immediately called.

Notice.

Tax for 1900 is now due. You are requested to settle same at once. Those owing tax for 1898-9, must pay at once or a levy will be made. Indulgence ceases to be a virtue. I mean business; so you may expect a levy unless you pay at once.

J. W. HURT, Sheriff.

Mr. H. L. Herwich, cigar manufacturer of Somerset, made a narrow escape from a watery grave last Monday. He attempted to cross Russell's creek at this place, the stream being past flooding. He was traveling in a buggy and when he reached the current the swift water washed him from the vehicle, and it was with much difficulty he gained the bank. His horse and buggy were saved by two men who happened upon the scene.

Judge W. M. Myers, Messrs. Q. R. Jones, J. C. Coulter and J. W. Wilkerson, the Casey county delegation to the Democratic Convention held in Lexington last week, are all fine looking men, their average weight being 217 pounds. Judge W. W. Jones, of this town, is a brother to Mr. Q. R. Jones above mentioned, but they differ widely in their political views. Mr. Jones, of Casey, being an enthusiastic Democrat.

"Old Spot," that good old horse that belonged to Buck Barbee, passed in to the realms of the great beyond last Wednesday. He was 18 years old and had been an exceedingly valuable horse. Spot is gone after doing much hard work, though Buck is not accused of over working him—that was left for others, but after all he lived to ripe old age and will be missed by his former owner and many others.

Born, to the wife of S. H. Myers, July 12, 1900, a fine daughter.

The Arc Very Pleasant.

Smokers attention. He has come at last. The Never Down, Log Run and Keystone cigar. Its made of cabbage leaves and rotten stock, bad flavor. If you don't believe it, try one and you will like it. Ask your merchant for it. Manufactured by S. L. Howich, Somerset, Ky.

GREENSBURG.

The News man, Mr. Murrell, is in our town.

Mrs. E. M. Blakeman was visiting relatives last week at Canmer, Ky.

Mrs. Bettie Ebleins, of Summersville, was visiting relatives in town last week.

J. N. Lee, County Superintendent, has been on the sick list for a few days.

E. M. Blakeman and Edd Sandidge are attending the Lexington convention.

The Democrats in this county think the national ticket is a strong one. Most of those who voted for Brown are enthusiastic for the ticket.

Judge W. E. Settle, of Bowling Green, spent last week in visiting his old neighbors and friends in and about Greensburg. He made an enthusiastic speech to the Democratic Convention here last Monday. Judge is a Democrat of the old school, and predicted a sweeping victory this fall.

IRVIN'S STORE.

Prof. J. W. Mitchell attended court at Burksville last week.

Several of our community attended preaching at Ono last Sunday. Plenty to eat was on the grounds, and we extend many thanks to the people of that vicinity for their hospitality.

There will be an all day singing at Coffey's Chapel the first Sunday in August, conducted by Prof. Stapp.

There will be children day at Ono, the first Sunday in September.

Born, to the wife of M. W. Cooper, the 18th, a girl.

Tobias Smith is teaching the Freedom school.

The oat crop was light in this community this year.

Harris & Hopper are building a new house for Mr. G. F. Rexroat.

Sid Harmon, while plowing Tuesday, was waylaid and shot by his fourteen year old son, Marcus. Harmon is lying at the point of death. The boy is still at large, but a posse is after him.

PELTYTON.

Jasper Doss and Tom Jones went to Cincinnati last Sunday.

Miss Estelle Willis opened her school here last Monday, with a large attendance.

Miss Ora Feese and brother, Guy, were visiting your correspondent two days of last week.

Mr. Wm. Lemon attended quarterly meeting at Jones' Chapel last Saturday.

Rev. John Bowles, assisted by Rev. J. L. Kilgore, will begin a protracted meeting at this place the 3rd Sunday in August.

Campbell Bors., sold their boiler and engine to Dave Beard & Son, of Casey Creek, for \$250.

Jas. Pelly, Dunnville, was here last Thursday.

Mr. W. H. Lemon returned home from Elkhorn this week.

Born, to the wife of Jesse Sapp, the 14th, a girl.

Miss Lula Feese returned home Friday after a two weeks visit at this place.

Miss Zella Pelly has been quite sick for several days.

R. L. Murphy, wife and baby, of Dunnville, were visiting relatives here last week.

Born, to the wife of Jas. Dickerson, the 12, a daughter. Her name is Minnie Goebel.

EDMONTON.

Mr. E. R. Beauchamp has decided to rebuild and go into the goods business again here.

Several went from here to the Sulphur Well last Sunday.

The Metcalfe county teachers' institute convened here the 9th inst., with Prof. E. L. Gillis, Lexington, instructor and Prof. A. J. Thompson, assistant. There was a large attendance this year.

Misses Hattie Duff and Annie Vincent, of Hiseville, were visiting here last week.

Miss May Vaughan, of Glasgow, and Miss Lena Shannon, of Tompkinsville, were visiting Mrs. Judge Kinnard last week.

Prof. J. A. Howard, of Canmer, and Sam Bay, Tompkinsville, attended our institute and made us some good talks.

The greater number of the schools of this county began the 16th.

Mr. Rufus Bell and sister, Miss Lera, Smith Grove, were visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. Geo. Hunley, who has been at Glasgow for a few months, has moved back to his property here.

Prof. A. J. Thompson will teach here this fall. We all realize that there will be a first class school on the hill.

Mr. Lannes Nunn and his mother are visiting Mrs. O. H. Williams, of Tompkinsville, this week.

Revs. Smith and Morris are conducting a series of meetings here this week. They are doing some good preaching.

TRAINING - STABLE.

I AM NOW PREPARED TO HANDLE horses, at the fair grounds either to ride or drive. If you have a young horse that you want trained don't put it off too long for the older the horse the harder he is to train. The best horses are those that are broke and trained while young. If you want work of this kind done, I am prepared to give satisfaction. My charges are very reasonable. ROBT. HUDSON, Columbia, Ky.

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Catalogues for the Russell Springs Fair will be completed this week.

GRADYVILLE.

Clay Kinnaird, of Red Lick, was with us a few days ago, looking after young mules.

Mrs. Ann Turk, of Columbia, spent a few days last week, visiting in this community.

Smith & Nell shipped a car load of fat cattle to the Louisville market this week. Bought of Will Hindman, 12 head of stock heifers, to be delivered in September, at 3c.

The Democrats of this part of the county are perfectly satisfied with the decision of the Lexington convention, knowing that it gave us the strongest man in the State for our candidate for Governor. If our party is as well satisfied as we are here, a great victory will be gained.

The Ministerial Meeting here that was conducted by the Baptist brethren, last week, was very interesting and instructive; large attendance, good preaching and plenty to eat. We regret that it did not last longer.

Mrs. J. E. Moore and children, of Cane Valley, spent a few days of last week, visiting friends and relatives in this city last week.

Mr. Jo Yates' 18 months old child died Sunday evening. Apparently it was in good health, and its death was so sudden that it is believed that the trouble was a spasm. Mr. Yates had the child in his arms when all at once it expired. The burial took place Monday afternoon.

FROM FRY.

This place not being represented in The News, a paper that is doing the most good for Democracy, I conclude to pen a few items.

We are having excessive warm weather and but little rain.

Wheat threshing is over in this section and the crop was an average one, despite the work of the fly.

Much attention is paid the cultivation of tobacco in this section. It looks fairly well at present.

Mr. Isaac Hartfield, our old and well-known German citizen, died near here recently.

The mail service between this place and Exie has been increased from three to six trips per week, with E. H. Blard as carrier and sub-contractor.

Mr. W. L. Walker and wife, of Columbia, were visiting Miss Ann Coffey recently.

Alfred Parsons and wife, of Columbia, are visiting the family of J. H. Squires.

Rev. Hulse and others have been engaged in a series of meetings at Pleasant Ridge for several days. We understand their labors have been attended with success.

Messdames Laura Whitlock and Frances Howard are on the sick list.

Rev. Hulse and others began a protracted meeting at Summer Shade Church on the evening of the 19th inst. We desire that much and lasting good may be accomplished at that place.

Schools have all opened in this part of Green county with able and experienced teachers. They report fairly good attendance.

Messrs. M. H. Marcum and Ed. Atkins, two popular salesmen, were here taking orders this week.

G. W. Whitlock has bought the blacksmith shop and tools of Jeff Parsons. McMahon & Estes continue at their stand.

RUSSELL SPRINGS FAIR

FOUR DAYS.

August 14th, 15th, 16 and 17th, 1900.

No one should fail to attend this exhibition, as it is one of the best Fairs in the State. The premium list is

LIBERAL

and sharp competition may be expected. The management has been assured of many more

FINE HORSES

this season, and this feature of the Fair will be especially interesting.

SPLENDID BAND

of musicians, and a good time is guaranteed to everybody who may attend.

THE GROUNDS

have been put in excellent shape, and every thing has been done to accommodate the vast crowd. Premium list will be out in a few days. Remember the dates, August 14—four days

A. P. SIMPSON, Pres.

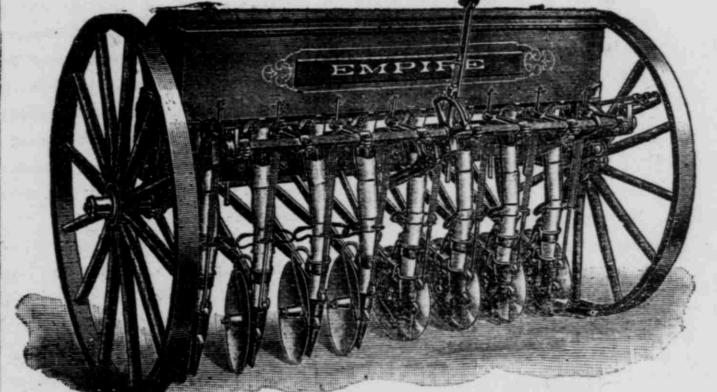
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on the market from \$1.00 up. Farm Implements of all kinds for sale. Call and see us.

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A Slaughter Sale!

The entire stock of goods formerly controlled by Mr. C. R. Warinner is now for sale at cost. This stock of goods consists of a general line and of a good quality. This will not last long. Here's some prices.
Best Shirts, 5 to 7c.
Two packs Arm and Hammer Brand Soda, 5c.
Monarch Coffee, 15c.
Mens' Ladies and Children's Shoes of fine quality at Manufacturers prices.
Come at once if you want a bargain. 1,000 articles bound to go.

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C. R. Warinner.

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